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THE FOLLOWING ARE ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS POSED IN PARA 5
REFTEL, FROM THE ISRAELI NATIONAL POLICE:

A. THE ISRAELI NATIONAL POLICE (INP) IS THE AGENCY
NATIONALLY IN CHARGE OF DRUG ENFORCEMENT. (CUSTOMS
AUTHORITIES ARE IN CHARGE OF ROUTINE SMUGGLING PREVENTION
IN AIR AND SEA PORTS, THOUGH EVEN THERE THE INVESTIGATIVE
AND PROSECUTION FUNCTIONS ARE CARRIED OUT BY THE
POLICE.) THE INP HAS NO NARCOTICS TRAINING PROGRAM PER SE,
AT PRESENT. DRUG ENFORCEMENT FUNCTIONARIES COME TO THEIR
JOBS FULLY TRAINED IN ONE OF THE STANDARD POLICE CRAFTS:
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PATROLMAN, CRIMINAL INVESTIGATOR, DETECTIVE, INTELLIGENCE
OPERATIVE. DRUG SPECIALIZATION IS ACQUIRED THROUGH THE
JOB TRAINING AND THROUGH SHORT SEMINARS DEALING WITH
THEORETICAL MATTERS.

B. THE SUBJECT OF NARCOTICS RECEIVES ATTENTION THROUGH

A VERY LIMITED NATURE ONLY IN THE VARIOUS TRAINING COURSES MENTIONED IN PARA C BELOW.

C. THE INP ACADEMY PROVIDES EXTENSIVE TRAINING FACILITIES COVERING THE ENTIRE RANGE OF QUALIFICATIONS FROM PATROLMAN, INVESTIGATOR, DETECTIVE, INTELLIGENCE OPERATIVE, CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION TECHNICIAN AND OTHER POLICE SKILLS AND CRAFTS--TO QUALIFYING COURSES FOR NCO'S, OFFICERS AND SENIOR OFFICERS. NO SPECIALIZED DRUG ENFORCEMENT CURRICULUM IS AVAILABLE AT PRESENT, THOUGH PLANS CALL FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT (IN 1977) AT THE ACADEMY OF A TRIANNUAL TWO TO THREE WEEK DRUG ENFORCEMENT COURSE, TEACHING DRUG SQUAD MEMBERS SPECIALIZED ENFORCEMENT TECHNIQUES.

D. ALL THE GENERAL, THEORETICAL AND NON-OPERATIONAL ASPECTS OF NARCOTICS TRAINING CAN BE ADEQUATELY COVERED BY LOCAL INSTRUCTORS. TRAINING ASSISTANCE NEEDS ARE SPECIFICALLY IN THE SPHERE OF SPECIALIZED NARCOTIC OPERATIONS, MAINLY UNDERCOVER AND RELATED TECHNIQUES. SINCE THE LOCAL INSTRUCTORS ARE QUALIFIED POLICE PROFESSIONALS, THEY ARE CAPABLE OF ASSIMILATING THESE SPECIALIZED TECHNIQUES WITH NO UNDUE DIFFICULTY AND CONTINUE THE TRAINING PROCESS HENCE.

E. THE INP RECEIVED THE BENEFIT OF ONE DEA TRAINING MISSION FOR A TWO AND ONE-HALF WEEK COURSE AT THE BEGINNING OF 1974. ISRAELI CUSTOMS BENEFITTED ON THE OTHER HAND FROM A U.S. CUSTOMS TRAINING MISSION IN 1974/75 FOR THE DURATION OF ABOUT TWO MONTHS, RUNNING FOUR TWO-WEEKLY INSTRUCTION COURSES IN WHICH A LIMITED NUMBER OF INP PERSONNEL WERE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE.

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F. IT MAY BE SAID THAT DRUG ENFORCEMENT IS ACCORDED VERY HIGH PRIORITY INDEED, IT IS RELATIVELY PROGRESSIVE IN ITS METHODS AND ACHIEVES ABOVE AVERAGE OVERALL RESULTS.

G. THIS HAS BEEN OUTLINED IN A GENERAL REPORT DRAWN UP BY DEA'S S/A J. SALM DURING HIS EXTENSIVE INSPECTION TRIP IN FEBRUARY 1976.

H. IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT:

A. A DEA TRAINING MISSION TO TAKE OVER THE INSTRUCTION OF SPECIALIZED NARCOTIC ENFORCEMENT TECHNIQUES (SEE PARAS C AND D ABOVE) IN THE FIRST OF THE THREE DRUG ENFORCEMENT COURSES (2-3 WEEKS DURATION EACH) SCHEDULED FOR 1977. THIS COURSE WILL THUS TRAIN A CADRE OF LOCAL INSTRUCTORS WHO WILL CONTINUE THE TRAINING FUNCTION IN THE FUTURE.

2. THE TRAINING IN THE U.S. OF A SENIOR (DRUG) STAFF OFFICER

IN THE FOLLOWING TOPICS:

(A) DEVELOPMENT OF CONSPIRACY CASES AGAINST TOP TRAFFICKERS.

(B) PLANNING AND OPERATING SOPHISTICATED SYSTEMS FOR THE COLLECTION, ANALYSIS AND DISSEMINATION OF INTELLIGENCE FOR THE PROVISION OF TACTICAL FIELD INTELLIGENCE AND MOST IMPORTANTLY STRATEGIC INTELLIGENCE FOR TOP LEVEL POLICY DECISIONS.

(C) INVESTIGATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF INTERNATIONAL (NARCOTICS) CONSPIRACY CASES.

(D) PLANNING AND ADMINISTRATION OF A COMPLIANCE PROGRAM.

3. THE POSSIBLE TRAINING IN THE U.S. OF 2-3 UNDERCOVER AGENTS IN THE TECHNIQUES OF CONSPIRACY CASE DEVELOPMENT.

I. INAPPLICABLE DUE TO POLITICAL CONSIDERATIONS.

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